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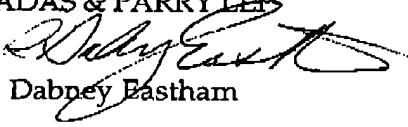
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We telefaxed the enclosed Amendment and Reply After Final Rejection to the USPTO on February 17, 2006 but have not received the USPTO's telefax acknowledging receipt. This is a resubmission of that paper together with our firm's facsimile transmittal communication result report showing that the transmittal was received on February 17, 2006. The transmission was directed to the attention of Primary Examiner A. Hoosain. We have since learned from S.P. Examiner F. Tsang that Mr. Hoosain has retired and that Examiner Alam Elahee has been assigned this application.

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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the final Office Action mailed on October 20, 2005, a reply to which was due no later than January 20, 2006 without extension of time. The Applicant submits an amendment and reply pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.114 and 1.116. A petition for a one-month extension of time accompanies this paper.

Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. All remarks and amendments herein are made without prejudice.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.